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**HOUSE
RESOLUTION No. ____**

Introduced by: Ruppel, Grubb

A RESOLUTION honoring Elise Brown.

Whereas, 18-year-old Elise Brown is the 2006-2007 Indiana FFA state sentinel;

Whereas, As state sentinel, Elise will spend the coming year traveling throughout Indiana promoting agricultural education and the FFA, speaking to more than 9,000 students and FFA supporters, presenting numerous workshops and conferences, and participating in goodwill tours;

Whereas, In addition to these duties, Elise is responsible for developing relationships with leaders in the government, education, business, and agriculture sectors;

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Whereas, Elise has been an active member of the FFA at the chapter, district, state, and national levels, serving as chapter secretary and president and district reporter and treasurer;

Whereas, Elise has attended several leadership conferences, including Premier Leadership Training, Leadership Development Workshop, Foundations in Reaching Excellence, Made for Excellence, and Washington Leadership Conference;

Whereas, Elise was a member of the National FFA Band in 2004 and 2005;

Whereas, Elise has participated in several career development events, such as meats and livestock evaluations and the freshmen public speaking, creed speaking, and extemporaneous speaking at the district level, placing third in the female leadership ambassador contest at the 2006 state convention;

Whereas, Elise's supervised agricultural experiences are agriculture communications, forage production, sheep production, and beef production;

Whereas, After serving the Indiana FFA and its members, Elise plans to attend Purdue University and major in an agricultural area with a goal of pursuing a career in agriculture: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives
2 congratulates Elise Brown on her selection as the 2006-2007 Indiana
3 FFA state sentinel and wishes her success at Purdue University.

4 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
5 Representatives transmit copies of this resolution to Elise Brown, her
6 parents, Andrew and Lori Brown, and her siblings, Colin and Gavin.

